

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

The paragraph beginning on page 9, line 13, is being amended as follows:

6. A block copolymer composition, comprising:

(1) 100 parts by weight of a hydrogenated block copolymer which is a hydrogenation product of a block copolymer having at least one polymer block mainly comprising a vinyl aromatic hydrocarbon and at least one polymer block mainly comprising a conjugate diene compound, and having a vinyl bonding amount V (%) based on the conjugate diene compound of from not less than 30% to less than 70%,

wherein (a) the total hydrogenation ratio H (%) of the unsaturated double bond based on the conjugate diene compound satisfies the following relational formulae:

$$V < H < 2 \times 1.25 \times V + 10$$

$$30 \leq H < 80, \text{ and}$$

wherein (b) the hydrogenation ratio of the vinyl bond is 82% or more, and

(2) 20 to 400 parts by weight (with respect to 100 parts by weight of component (1)) of an adhesion-imparting agent;

The paragraph occurring at page 10, lines 15-16 is being amended as follows:

~~8. The block copolymer composition according to item 6 above,~~

8. A block copolymer composition, comprising:

(1) 100 parts by weight of a hydrogenated block copolymer which is a hydrogenation product of a block copolymer having at least one polymer block mainly comprising a vinyl aromatic hydrocarbon and at least one polymer block mainly comprising a conjugate diene compound, and having a vinyl bonding amount V (%) based on the conjugate diene compound of from not less than 30% to less than 70%,

wherein (a) the total hydrogenation ratio H (%) of the unsaturated double bond based on the conjugate diene compound satisfies the following relational formulae:

$$\underline{V < H < 2 \times V + 10}$$

$$\underline{30 \leq H < 80, \text{ and}}$$

wherein (b) the hydrogenation ratio of the vinyl bond is 82% or more, and

(2) 20 to 400 parts by weight (with respect to 100 parts by weight of component (1)) of an adhesion-imparting agent,

wherein component (1) comprises:

The paragraph beginning on page 62, line 20, is being amended as follows:

The results of the following Examples 7-8 ~~to~~ and 10-17 and Comparative Examples 16 to ~~26~~ 27 are shown in Table 5.

The paragraph heading beginning on page 62, line 23, is being amended as follows:

EXAMPLES 7-8 ~~TO~~ AND 10-14 AND COMPARATIVE EXAMPLES 16 TO 24

The paragraph heading beginning on page 64, line 6, is being amended as follows:

EXAMPLES 18 ~~TO~~ AND 20-21

Table 5, on page 70, is being amended as shown on the sheet attached hereto.

Table 6, on page 71, is being amended as shown on the sheet attached hereto.